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matter, refer to File No. 1268.

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

**RE: Causey Sand, Reservoir A
Ruston Field
Lincoln Parish, Louisiana**

APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Dear Sir:

Devon Louisiana Corporation hereby makes application pursuant to the revised rules of procedure for a public hearing to consider evidence relating to the following matters pertaining to the Causey Sand, Reservoir A, in the Ruston Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana:

1. To authorize Devon Louisiana Corporation to designate and utilize its R. D. Ball 30 No. 4 Well as an alternate unit well for CAUSEY RA SUC at the location shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof;
2. To establish that to designate the R. D. Ball 30 No. 4 Well as an alternate unit well for CAUSEY RA SUC at the suggested location is necessary to efficiently and effectively recover additional hydrocarbons underlying the unit and will avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells;
3. To authorize the unit allowable for CAUSEY RA SUC to be recovered from the existing wells on this unit, the proposed alternate unit well, or from any combination of the wells located on said unit, at the discretion of the operator; and
4. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

The Causey Sand, Reservoir A, in the Ruston Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 164-EE, effective on and after May 29, 2002.

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The subject matter of this application does not require the issuance of a pre-application notice.

Any pertinent data relating to this matter can be obtained at the cost of the requesting party, from Mr. Lou Bertoli, Louisiana Devon Corporation, 1200 Smith Street, Houston, Texas 77002, telephone number (713) 265-6779.

The attached list includes the names of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties known to applicant after a diligent search and a copy of this notice, with plat attached, is being sent to each such party. Pursuant to Office of Conservation regulations, such list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any person requesting a copy of it. Also enclosed is the application fee herein.

Yours very truly,

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Enclosures

cc: James C. Broussard, District Manager
Interested Owners, Represented
Parties and Interested Parties
Mr. Lou Bertoli
Mr. Craig Barclay

